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WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING FOR SOLDIERS IN FRANCE

Fight in the Ranks of the Red Cross Against Pain, Disease and Death.

They have known very well the risks and more women who have gone to France for varied services under the American Red Cross, and the more than nine thousand nurses whom the American Red Cross has assigned to foreign duty under the United States Army and Navy Nurse Corps.

They went under orders, as soldiers do; prepared for any emegencies, as soldiers do; they assumed many strange and unforeseen tasks, as soldiers do. Literally, they went as fighters, against pain, disease and

A "mobile surgical unit" of nursesthose words don't mean very much, perhaps, the first time we hear them. But see such an unit follow an army up to an advanced post; see how the nurses work with steady hands beside the surgeons as the stretchers with the newly wounded are brought in. See thousands of them in evacuation hospitals, base hospitals, convalescent hospitals, tuberculosis hospitals; some of them in French military hospitals where sometimes our men are sent; see them with their specialized skill in head surgery, or fracture work, or psychiatry; -all these women who keep head and hand cool and steady, when the ambulances unload great harvests of wounded. Then we say the words "Our Nurses," as we say "Our Soldiers," "Our Sailors," "Our Marines."

On the night of March 25th, when the Germans were fast advancing, and already within six kilometers of Annel, an outpost of Complegne, two American doctors remained, who under order of the French government, had sent the patients and personnel of their hospital farther back the night before. The artillery was deafening, but the American Amburance sections kept teliging their wounders to Annel. These doctors said that as long as the American boys brought them wounded they would operate. Two nurses volunteered from Compiegne, and so in the deserted chateau the two surgeons, the two nurses and the ten drivers worked calmly on, France sailed about June 1st, 1917, while the buzz of aeroplanes shook

BEDOUINS AND THEIR HORSES

nads of the Desert Ride the Most Beautiful Animals Ever Sub-Jugated by Man.

Charles Doughty describes a meeting with some Arab horsemen in the desert. These came near; they approached his party and proved to be three long-haired Bedouins, wh bid them salaam (peace). Then he tells of how "a fourth shock-haired cyclops of the desert, whom the fleetness of their mares had outstripped, trotted in after them, uncouthly seated upon the rawbone, narrow withers of his dromedary, without saddle, without bridle, and only as a herdsman driving with his voice and the camel-stick. His fellows rode with naked legs and unshod upon their beautiful mares' bare backs, the halter in one hand, and the long balanced lance, wavering upon the shoulder, in the other. We should think them sprawling riders; for a boast or warlike exercise, in the presence of our armed company, they let us view how fairly they could ride a career and turn; striking back heels, and seated low with pressed thighs, they parted at a hand gallop, made a tourney or two easily upon the plain; and now wheeling wide, they betook themselves down in the desert, every man bearing and handling his spears as at point . . .; so fetching a compass and we marching, they a little out of breath came gallantly again. Under the most ragged of these riders was a very perfect young and startling chestnut mare-so shapely there are few among them. Never combed by her rude master, but all shinting, beautiful and gentle of herself, she seemed a darling life upon that savage soil not worthy of her gracious pasterns; the strutting tail flowed down even to the ground, and the mane (orfa) was shed by the loving nurture of her mother

LAND BEAUTIFUL IN SUMMER

Wild Luxury of Siberian Verdure Cannot Be Surpassed Even in the Tropics.

Political exiles, the severe winter (50 degrees below zero) and the imnense stretches of snow, have done uch to give a bad impression of Sieria. Siberia is thought of by many the most dismal and Godforsaken wilderness, where bears and cutthroats parade in the placid moonlight. Nothing is unfairer than that.

It is a most beautiful place, the parsliel of which you can scargely find

they were taking—the two thousand first when the city was taken by the Austrians, again when it was retaken by the Serbians, and still again when it was taken back by the Germans and Austrians together, an American Red Cross nurse, Mary Gladwin, worked in the operating room. In that first capture, when nine thousand wounded crowded the wards and halls and yard of the thousand-bed-hospital and doctor and nurse worked together for day and night without stopping, giving to each operation an average of six minutes, and employing emergencies inspired by the desperate need of the moment, they did not know that the city had been taken until all the stretchers brought Austrian wounded, and Austrian doctors came to their relief.

Several hundred women are working over there in the American Red Cross canteens. There are about two hundred of these canteens along the French and American lines of communication, and the women are working under great pressure, feeding thousands of soldiers. The Red Cross is also establishing canteens by military request at a number of Aviation Camps. American women conduct these stations, comprising canteen and club and reading room. Everyone of these canteens has something of the genius of home about it; and it is because of this, no less than the facilities for cleanliness and rest and refreshment, that the French government has given the responsibility for maintaining canteens for both armies to the hands of the American Red Cross. In large numbers women are going

abroad as hospital hut workers, also, and as social workers for trained service among the refugees and the repatriated. At each base hospital the Red Cross is equipping, as fast as they valescent soldiers.

Clerical workers have steadily increased in number for the administrative offices. From that original group of eighteen, which as the first American Red Cross Commission to the organization has grown to a working force of more than 5,000 men and

elsewhere. In winter the groves of white birches on the wide stretch of pure snow lit by moonlight is a scene most holy and sublime. And the lake of Baikal, with its depth of 6,000 feet, the severest of winters can never deprive of warmth. The River Selenga that flows out of it never freezes and the water is pure as crystal.

But the most glorious season is certainly summer, says a writer in the New East. Summer is early in Sibe ria. In late June the whole verdure blooms out in wild luxury, and for thousands of miles the plain is covered with a glorious carpet of wild flowers-yellow, crimson, purple and what not. I have never seen the equal in the world. The tropics cannot beat it; the cherries of Yoshino, never!

Dress Up, Sir.

There is a clever young bookkeeper in Los Angeles who is nearly always out of work because of the fact that he is slovenly in his dress. His contention is that "a man should be judged by what he is and what he does rather than by what he wears," Perhaps he is right, but men are also judged by their "front," "for the apparel oft proclaims the man." If a carpenter goes to ask for employment taking with him only a hammer and saw instead of a full kit of tools, he is usually taken for a very poor caroffice man, the actor, the newspaper man and any other worker who is compelled to meet the public in his daily in securing a position and in keeping it. The young man who does not know this has not learned the A B C of suc cess.-Los Angeles Times.

When Sporting Editor Fainted.

It was at a ball game between Chicago and Pittsburgh. The score was tied, two men were out, a runner was on third, and Hans Wagner was at service. bat. The crowd was too excited to be noisy. A sporting editor had taken his neighbor to the game. The neighbor was not a fan, but he had succumbed has long distance connections, to the delights of "traveling on a pass," and was having a real, garrulous, good time. At the moment the bleachers, and the grandstanders were filled with suspense, the sporting editor's neighbor emitted this: "Look Lake! Look at that coke train! Did Italy to his family. you ever see one engine pulling se many cars? I'm gonna count 'em!"

PASS SUMMER IN TEMPLES

Peking Custom of Which the Only Merit Is Assurance of Absolute Peace and Quiet.

"Temple parties" constitute a popular form of diversion for the summer months in Peking. The hills to the westward are dotted with so-called temples-rambling compounds of one story buildings built centuries ago by Through three takings of Belgrade, emperors in memory of departed ancestors. The buildings invariably surround a paved court or often a series of such courts, shaded as a rule by century-old trees. In the temple prope is still to be found a gigantic "Buddha" lighted at intervals by priests and acolytes, of whom there are generally a half dozen all told, occupying a portion of the compound.

It is quite easy and inexpensive to secure the use of one of these temples one or more of the unoccupied subsidiary buildings-for a week-end, week or the whole summer. They are entirely without furniture except insofar as a raised platform whereon the Chinese used to sleep might be called furniture. Once installed the occupant enjoys absolute peace and quiet by day. As a rule he sleeps in the company of one of the lesser "Buddhas," who is hidden behind a curtain. The only intrusion upon his privacy occurs when the priest or acolyte brings food and places it before the idol and returns later to remove what the rats have left of it.

A number of the oldtimers in Peking have their temple leased year after year and pass the summer there. For the novice, owing to the general lack of everything that makes for comfort, once is enough. It is a thing, however, that everybody must do once.

CRITICISM MUST BE KINDLE

Nothing Good Can Come of Metho Which Does Not "Speak the Truth in Love."

There is the story of a contentious man who said to his pastor, "I cannot preach or pray or sing, but { can raise objections." Such men are not rare. There is one, at least, in almost every church, club, lodge or society of whatever kind. The critic is ever with us. And, candidly, we need him. We cannot do our best work without him. He is like the brake in the mechanism of a motorcar. He holds us back when w our safety. His conservatism counteracts the possible evils of radicalism. Much might be said for the economy of criticism.

But the method of criticism is also important. The brake should work smoothly. The critic need not destroy the organism he proposes to reform. Often the effect of his criticism is wholly destructive. Sometimes his methods remind us of the man who set fire to a barn to rid it of rats. A sensitive spirit who had been harshly treated by a critic retorted, "I know there is a cinder in my eye, but you can't remove it with a crowbar."

The apostolic injunction, "speaking the truth in love," gives the critic a safe rule of action. No truth, however severe, is unwelcome, if it be spoken in love. It takes the spirit of Christ to take the sinner by the hand the while we take sin by the throat.-Christian Herald.

Telephone System Sold.

W. D. Archibald, Evert Mathis. W. M. Gardner, L. Y. Redwine, Chas. D. and Floyd Arnett have purchased the W. M. Kendall Telephone system from W. M. Kendall and will take it ever on January 1st, 1819.

These gentlemen informed the penter-and, as a rule, he is. To the Courier representative that they would reincorporate and immediately thoroughly repair and occupation good clothes are essential extend the system, and that efficient service would be the aim of the new company.

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man with fringy hair, on wheth- Food Administration ceases to er you want to make a kick or

All Restrictions Removed.

sugar have heen removed by the the Porto Rican chapter were so Food Administration, and people welcome that the Red Cross commay purchase in whatever quan- missions cabled for more. The retities that are necessary. Hotels ply was that 30 tons of jelly and may return the sugar bowl to the several tons of marmalade were table, and the sugar situation re- being prepared,

turns to the normal. However, the hoarding clause of the Food Control Act is still in force, and persons buying more than is nec-Men and women, ages 16 to 45, who essay far immediate needs will be guilty of hoarding and subject to a fine of \$2,000.00.

> Merchants need no longer keep a record of sugar sales nor make further report of sales to me.

I have had some complaints as to overcharges and I am investigating the freight and hauling To the honor costs in the various parts of the county and the retail prices.

1 cent a pound profit don'tmean one and a quarter, one and a half nor any other fraction of a cent. Merchants must figure the cost of sugar and the frieght and sell it for not more than one cent a pound above that, no matter what odd and fractional parts of cents it may make the retail price. I am anxious to impose a "It all depends," replied the few more penalties before the

> L. T. HOVERMALE, Morgan County Food Administrator.

Ten tons of guava jelly sent to All restrictions on the use of French hospitals by women of

They Have Made Good-Have You?

The Boy who went To War Relinquished Incomes, Of Parting From Loved Ones, Risked Life, Eyesight and Limbs That We Might Stay At Home And Prosper. The Man, Woman Or Child Who has not invested What they can afford In War Savings Stamps Has not earned The right That returning soldier (If he has them).

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With their own conscience And contribute Of our State.

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Is your name on the Red Cross Christmas Roll?

"A warm back, a full stomach, and my creditors and the people be damned," is the motto of some men.

Fine clothes and good manners don't always go toge.h er, neither is an oily tongue always found in close prox- For a dog's true heart for that imity to brains.

You can't always judge a man accurately by the company he keeps, but you can size him up pretty well by the enemies he has made.

WANTED-A man with sufficient acumen to discover He was a man, and every day the whereabouts of the books and records of the West His hear grew callous, its love-Liberty Graded School.

American troops in France have contributed 200,000 francs (\$40,000) to the adoption of French orphans, through the Red Cross.

In the world's necessity lies the paramount challenge But-he had a right to go, you to the America Red Cross. Your voice is needed to answer the Christmas Roll Call!

From Red Cross hospital gardens in France over 5,000 convalescent soldiers have harvested 23 tons of green vegetables and a large crop of potatoes.

The devil's trio—the liar, the hypocrite and the man who won't pay his newspaper subscription. They are only three of a kind but a royal flush can't beat them.

If Bill Hohenzollern had pulled off that suicide stunt five years ago he might have had an honorable page in the world's history, instead of the title of human butcher.

Eggs fifty cents per dozen, 4 1-6 cents apiece, looks pretty steep, doesn't it? But, come to think of it, one egg is a whole day's work for a hen, and 41-6 cents is not much after all.

That kaiser person, who once upon a time claimed a copartnership with God, tried to kill himself the other day, Morehead where she will siside. and a d-d fool Boche officer prevented him from completing the act.

If you don't believe some prominent Morgan county people are patriotic, philanthropic, industrious, generous, and unselfish, just ask them. Don't take time to look up their war activities record. Just ask them.

The patriotism of the people of Morgan county, as a whole, will be measured largely by their response to the Red Cross Christmas drive which began this week. No more worthy action can be done than to become a member of the American Red Cross.

Col. Roosevelt is all "het up" because, according to his construction, President Wilson's fourteen points are more favorable to the Central Powers than to the Entente Allies. Teddy is having one 'ell of a time maintaining firstpage-next-to-reading-matter position.

"Two hundred hungry Belgian children on a train at the Gare St. Lazare," came the appeal to the American Red Cross Children's Bureau at Paris. Three-quarters of an hour later the youngsters, from two to ten years old, were eating milk, beef, cakes and chocolate—their first family our deepest sympathy. meal that day.

Christmas will soon be here and hundreds of dollars that ought to be more intelligently expended will be wasted in the purchase of frivolous things. The custom of Christmas giving is a beautiful one, but the original idea has been perverted to the extent that the person of moderate means looks upon the approach of Christmas with a certain degree of dread and apprehension.

Seventy-five cents on each one hundred dollars' worth up, Mr. Black? You seem angry. of taxable property is the levy for 1918. How does that strike you, Mr. Taxpayer of West Liberty Graded School district? But this will not be the first time you have paid just been in." taxes at that rate. The present trustees say that they are going to make a payment on the bonds out of that did he?" levy. But what most of us want to know is why there have not been several payments made prior to this time. told me'I had been giving 17." In other words, we would like to know what has become of all the money that has been collected off of the patrons of the district.

The constant drop of water wear away the hardest stone;

The constant knaw of Towser masticates the toughest bone; The constant wooing lover carries

off the blushing maid, And the constant advertiser is the man that gets the trade.

A Dog and A Man.

He was a dog, but he stayed at home-

And guarded the family night and day.

He was a dog that didn't roam. He lay on the porch or chased the stray-

The tramp, the burglar, the hen

household beat At morning and evening, in cold

> and heat. He was a dog.

He was a man, and didn't stay To cherish his wife and children

beats rare.

He thought of himself at the close of the day,

And, cigars in his fingers, hurried away

To the club, the lodge, the store, and show;

He was a man.

LENOX.

(Too late for last week.)

The Dog Fancier.

The "flu" epidemic is decreasing at Lenox. Not many serious

Miss Luna Smith left last week for Knoxville, Tenn., where she will attend school.

Mrs. Mace Litteral is very low with fever.

Miss Anna Jackson is just recovering from a severe case the "flu."

The Sunday School at Lenox has been closed since Oct. 13 but will open again Dec. 15.

Mrs. Willie H. Caskey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Trimble, at Lizzie Monday.

will leave one day this week for allotment, allowance, compensa-Mrs. J. E. Williams, of Alice,

is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Dennie M. Caskey.

Mrs. W. C. Stamp. Jas. A. White, of Du Bois, Pa., who has been drilling for coal in through the Red Cross mediums this vicinity for some time, will than in any other way. teave Thursday for his home to spend the holidays.

da Williams, of Alice, spent a ecutive Secretary of the Civilian very pleasant day with their Relief Committee-of the Morgan cousin, Miss Josie Caskey, last week.

Misses Josie Caskey and Feral Withrow visited the latter's par- Act, or regarding the welfare of ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Withcow, at Rush branch Sunday.

On Dec. 9th we received the news of the death of Mrs. Ida Ellen Lyon Patrick, of Crockett. given every request. The sad news was a shock to her many friends and relatives here. She leaves a father, mother, one sister, three brothers, a husband and two children to mourn her oss. We extend to the bereaved

W. T. Caskey has been very sick, but is improving.

Dr. B. F. Carter, of West Liberty, who is now employed as doctor for the Lenox Saw Mill Company, under the present 'flu" situation seem's to be short of "pills" and is substituting soda water.

Sure, He Was Mad.

Smith (to grocer) - "What's Black-"I am, The Inspector of Weights and Measures has

Smith-"Ha! Ha! He caught you giving 15 ounces to the pound

Black-''No, he didn't. He

Mrs. Wess Blevins and little son, Walter, of Index, were shopping in town Friday.

MORGAN COUNTY'S honor Koll

Holly Coffee,

Aged 23, son of Orlando Coffee died May 27, 1918, of wounds received on the battle front in France. Buried at Bon Villiers, Oise, France.

James Caskey,

Son of Jesse Caskey, deceased, killed in battle in France, June 7, 1918.

Arthur Brown,

Of Relief, died of wounds reeived in battle in France, August

John S. Pelfrey,

Of Relief, 22 years old, killed in battle in France August 17, 1918.

Jasper Elkins,

Of near West Liberty, killed in pattle in France August 31, 1918.

Kelly Elam

of Blair's Mills, killed in action in France September 4, 1918.

J. E. Hill,

of Dingus, killed in action Sep. 12.

Bernard Adams,

of Liberty Road, killed in action Sept. 12, 1918.

Harlan Perry,

of Wrigley, died of wounds Oct 8. Wm. Thurston McGuire,

of West Liberty, killed in action,

Oct. 22, 1918.

Mort Beckulheimer,

of Florress, reported in casualty list Dec. 2.

Annas Wells,

of Licking River, died of wounds in France Nov. 13, 1918.

Monroe Osborne,

of Pomp, died Nov. 16th, 1918, of of wounds received in action in France.

Valuable Information Service by American Red Cross.

Through the Red Cross Civilian Relief Department arrangements have been made by which valuable information regarding Mrs. Rissie McClain Adkins any question pertaining to the tion or insurance can be prompty secured for the families of the men in any branch of war ser-

Most important is the fact that Miss Essie McClain is visiting information concerning men in hospitals in France, ro who may be prisoners, can be secured more promptly and more accurately

Families of men in the service from Morgan county should com-municate with L. Y. Redwine, Misses Hattie Pelfrey and Ly- Chairman, or C, D. Arnett, Ex-County Chapter of the Red Cross to gain desired information in reference to any question pertaining to the War Risk Insurance men in camp in the United States or in overseas service, or in re- Capital and Surplus, \$50,000.00 gard to any home problem where Deposits. 211,000.00 aid or advice is needed.

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> troubled with a swollen pocket book and experiences a feverish

desire to part with his money,

and goes and gives it up to the

surgeon. In mal de mere the

patient feels a fullness in the

stomach and is seized with an

uncontrolable desire to give his

dinner to the fishes. Notwith-

standing the fact that President

Wilson has endorsed the fad by

taking it, it is not considered the

proper thing to have mal de mere

Doubtful: Did Diogenes ever

Teddy Roosevelt claims that

find the man he was looking for?

after many centuries of weary

searching over the eastern conti-

came over to America, landed at

Teddy's monumental modesty

Inquirer: What is the mean-

To be perfectly frank, I don't

speak hnman language, but that

is their limit. They consider it

a crime to work or take a bath,

and they are opposed to both

war and peace, but are strong

for murder and pillage, and are

closely related to them. These

theories seem to be what consti-

tutes Bolshevism, but I don't

curious: what are migratory

Migratory birds are people

who find it easier to move than

and they seem to get great joy

It is wonderful to see how pro-

ficient some people become in the

the art of moving, and how they

enjoy it, I attribute it to the

natural love of home-making.

When a young couple marry the

desire is strong to make a home,

and once they taste the ecstacy

of struggling with and conquer-

ing a refractory stove pipe and

they can't resist it and they keep

Farmer: What kind of chick-

Personally I prefer brunettes.

Of course it depends largely up-

on the kind I am in love with at

the chickens that I have loved

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

call of the landlord.

ens do you prefer?

have been brunettes.

know what the word means.

at home.

Germany must be destroyed. case of appendicitis the patient



Asked and Answered.

(With apologies to Mrs. Evans)

Teacher: Are you going to make "Asked and Answered" permanent feature? I learned so much from last week's issue that nent that the old philosopher I have planned to use the column in my school if it continues.

Oyster Bay, and found him, but No, I hardly think that I will make it permanent. It's too has kept him from giving to the hard work acquiring priceless inworld the name of that distinformation just to give it away. guished citizen. Already I am deluged with letters from the "sweet young things" asking my aid in their tangled love affairs, and being so young ing of the word "Bolshevism" so and susceptible myself, I invari- much in print since the armisably fall desperately in love with tice was signed. beauty in distress, and there is a law commanding: "One flag, know, and I doubt if anyone else one country, and one wife at a does. It seems that there has time." However, from time to descended upon the earth from time I will attend to the wishes somewhere, a bunch of animals of the anxious searchers after that resemble man, and even knowledge.

High School: I have just finished high school and am going to study for a profession. Would a lawyer or doctor be the best

Why do you wish to become either? But if you must choose between them, be a doctor. It's the easiest to get by with. The ignorance and mistakes of the lawyer are made matters of public record and stand out for generations to come to see, while the ignorance and mistakes of birds? the doctor is hid in the sod covered mound and will not be told until judgment day.

Anxious: I am a girl 30 years old, inherited a good farm and from the very act of moving. some money; am congenial and pretty. I am terribly lonely and want a middle aged companion, Will you tell me whom you think to be the handsomest marriagable man in your county?

I'll tell you privately if you'll send self-addressed stamped envelope. I do not want to offend Wiley Franklin and Henry Rose by publicly proclaiming the handsomest man, besides I am a very modest man-and that farm appeals strongly to me.

Bashful Boy: Could you give me some forms for notes and letter to girls?

I am getting out a book of forms for love-letters suitable to all circumstances and girls. and the time, but looking back over space will not permit it here, but my life's pathway, strewn with I will give you the form of a note the rugged ruins of busted anasking permission to take her to ticipations, I find that most of church:

"My dear Miss -

May I have the exquisite betitude of escorting your corpoal system over the space interening between your parental
comicile and the sacred edifice
rected for the worship of the
supreme Being, after the diurnal
uminary has receded behind the
vestern horizon."

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Latarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they
cannot reach the seat of the disease.
Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and
in order to cure it you must take an
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by persons crossing the ocean having "mal ce mere?" Is it a ontagious disease?

No, it is not contagious, nor do I think it is classed as a disease. I think that, like appendicitis, it is a fad. It is similar to appendicitis in many ways. In Gost Skins

Secretary Baker Urges Letters With "Home-touch" For the Boys

WASHINGTON

My dear Mr. Fordicks

The eyes of the world are upon our soldiers overseas today not more for what they have done than for what they are now called upon to do. Before them lie the tasks of helping to rehabilitate the devasted lands of France and Belgium and of making sure that the victory in which they have so gloriously shared shall be a permanent ons.

This means that we may not expect soon to have them all with us here and to greet them face to face. The postponement of their homecoming will be often uppermost as well in their minds as in ours. They will yet meet and must overcome many difficulties without either the incentive or the excitement lent in the past by the activities of war. They need our help and encouragement now perhaps more than at any other time since they left home in order that they may be inspired and strengthened to maintain that finene: 3 of character, memner and conduct which has earned for them such universal respect.

I believe that among all the influences which may be focused upon this object, the strongest and most far-reaching is that which emanates from home letters, and I therefore urge the mothers, fathers, wives and sisters of our soldiers overseas to express themselves earnestly in their letters as their share in seeing that the high standards which America represents both here and abroad shall be constantly upheld.

Cordially yours.

Newton D. Baker Secretary of War.

Mr. Raymond B. Fosdick.

Chairman, Commission on Training Camp Activities.

TURN THE BOYS' THOUGHTS HOMEWARD, SAYS FOSDICK, ASKING CO-OPERATION

Washington. - (Special.) - Just before leaving for France to superintend the demobilization activities of those organizations which recently took part in the United War Work Campaign, Raymond B. Fosdick, Chairman of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, was interviewed with regard to the present situation of our overseas forces.

seeking to convert the world to "The problem presented by the gradual demobilization of more than from home is one which will tax all bravely, as I should want my son to lem, and it must be faced as such, with you or me or America. has a son, a brother, must help.

"While the war was on our boys were fully occupied; they were still filled with the spirit of adventure, looking forward rather than back. pay rent. In every community Now, however, the fighting is at an end. They are going to remain, most there are people of that kind, of them, many months doing work which will be neither exciting nor particularly interesting. They will get lonesome, bored and terribly home-

"The \$170,000,000 raised in the recent United War Work drive is to be precisely to bridge over this peby providing recreation and amusement. But no amount of mere money expended in such a way will be enough. What these boys really want is not diversion, but human interest and sympathy. These things expressed in letters from home will warm their hearts and create a home atmosphere around them, even while other little incidents of moving they are absent from the family circle. "Such letters may be a very neces-

sary sheet anchor to windward in the up the habit of home-making a case of some boys. The thought of little in advance of the monthly some one waiting for them, counting on them, will more than anything twice before plunging into situations which might mean harm and unhappiness for them.

"We have raised the cleanest army in the world. We have kept it clean. We hope to bring it back as clean and strong as it was when it left us. But while we believe our soldiers will stand the present test-the hardest of successfully as they have stood every other test of their manhood and endurance, it is our duty to give them all the help we can.

This, as I have said, can best be rendered by means of letters which will begin now, at once, not only to satisfy their home longings, but to turn their thoughts from tasks already accomplished in the long years of life ahead of them."

HOME FOLKS MUST HELP.

Washington .- (Special.) -The War Department Commission on Training Camp Activities has hit upon an important and entirely new idea in the "Letters-from-home" plan just an-

Pull the boys through the most trying period of their service by writing await them here. Tell them to write the right kind of letters, letters full of to me. How I should treasure their the home feeling, the mother feeling. letters! This appeal is made to mothers, fathers, sisters and sweethearts by the War Department. It is hoped that millions of inspiring letters will be written the week of December 15, desig- even years-knowing that you will nated as "Letters-from-home" week. come home to me as fine and clean as Pulpit and press are co-operating to you were when I sent you away to make a great success of the plan.

Suggestion for Mother's Letter. Son of Mine:

They're sending you home to me last. Through all these months of waiting and longing I've been wearing a star for you and holding my head high and thinking wonderful thoughts about you. I've watched you through ocean mists and dreamed anxious dreams. Yes, and cried a little, too, but not when people could see.

And now you're coming home. Oh, it seems too good to be true. I've just read your letters again. They say so much more than you ever thought when you were writing them. Just happenings-that's all most of the things you wrote about were to you. But to me they said you were facing two million men three thousand miles the biggest thing in life, facing it dick. "It is above all a morale prob- and your soul for a thing bigger than

battle feeling that I was holding you back from the big sacrifice. It's only now, when the fighting is over, that I can let down a little and be just your mother, just the woman who loves you better than anything else in the the Courier. world and is so glad to know you're coming back to her that she doesn't

care who sees her cry. Perhaps for some of the boys who have stood with you so finely through these trials the fighting is not yet all over. The fighting I mean is that between a man and himself, and for many of them this will be the hardest battle of all. During the long days and evenings of waiting before they can start for home thoughts will creep into their minds which will be hard to resist. There will be times after all these months of action when the longing for change and for the companionship of women may lead them into associations which will spoil their homemiliation, and even perhaps make them unfit to receive the love that

awaits them here. You, dearest boy, are just as human as your comrades, and feelings like else, make them hold back and think these may come to you too. I don't ask you to crush them. They are natural, and they only prove that war has failed to dry up the well spring of your emotions. I ask you only to reccontrol them with the fine strength you have gained while fighting for the ideals and principles of America. Just remember that many joyous years of all in some ways-as bravely and life are ahead of you and that the risk of spoiling them and the love that will fill them is too tremendous to run for a short hour of seeming pleasure.

Many of the boys who will come home with you have no mothers to write to them. Some of them may think that no one cares what they do. But somebody does care, America cares. And the girls they will marry some day care. And, oh, the difference it will make in their lives if they will just remember that there is always somebody, always!

Help them to remember. Help them to come home clean and fine. Don't let them spoil everything now. They have been so splendid. If you think this letter will help them give it to them. If they have no mothers let me be their mother until they have come back and taken the high places that

And, of course, you will write to me. Just say that you understand-that you know why I have written this letter. Then I can wait months-yes, camp so long ago.

You've Got To Have TOOLS

> A Very Necessary Part of Your Business Equipment Is Your STATIONERY Supply.

AND

Another Very Necessary Part of Any Business Is Reasonable Economy.

DROP IN!

Notice.

The history of the great world war is now being written. Mr. Fred P. Caldwell, of Louisville, has been appointed State Historian, and upon him devolves the enormous task of compiling and recording the part played by Kentuckians in the war. This is too big a jub for one man, so Mr. Caldwell has appointed a County Historian in every county in the State to assist him in the work. I have been appointed County our social resources," said Mr. Fos- face it. You were offering your body Historian for Morgan county and Commonwealth's Attorney, Floyd Arnett, am now beginning the work. the full co-operation of families and friends here in this country, if it is to be solved successfully. Every one who because I did not want you to go late county I cannot do the work assigned to me with any degree of the assistance of every reader of dicial days.

First, the Courier Honor Roll is not complete. There have been some Morgan county boys killed in action or died of wounds, the record of whose deaths we have failed to get. I also want | Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and the names and all data concerning any soldier from Morgan county who has died of disease, State Senator Thirty-fourih District, Dr. either in training camp or overseas. In short, if you know of any incident concerning a soldier, sailor, marine, nurse or coming and cause them shame and hu- member of the medical corps from Morgan county, which would be of historical interest, Judge Gus Thomas, please write me in full so that I Judge Earnest C. Clarke, can make a record of it.

This work concerns every man, woman and child in the county, Judge Flem D. Sampson, Barboursville. more or less. Will you co-operognize them when they come and to ate with me in making a com- William Rogers Clay, plete, accurate record of what Morgan county boys have done President, Woodrow Wilson, New Jersey. tn the great war?

H. G. COTTLE, County Historian.

The Woman's Tonic Sold Everywhere

Buy W. S. S.

Look Here For It.

Things we all ought to know but which none of us can remember, and often don't know where to look to find it.

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Marshal, L. H. Roberts.
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County Attorney, H. C. Rose.
County Court Clerk, Ren F. Nickell,
Sheriff, Chas. P. Henry.
Treasurer, W. M. Gardner,
Supt. Schools, Bernard E. Whitt.
Jailer, G, W. Stacy,
Assessor, D. H. Dawson
Coroner, vacant Coroner, vacant Surveyor, vacant.
Rural School Supervisors: Miss Anna
Nickell, M. Holbrook.

County Court, Second Monday in each Quarterly Court, Tuesday after Second Monday in each month.

Fiscal Court, On Wednesday after Fourt Monday in April and October.

JUSTICES' COURTS. First District, Ed Day, West Liberty, Ky., First Monday in each month. Second District, Robt. Motley, Ezel, Ky., Tuesday after First Monday in each month Constable, Steve Dennis.

Third District, E. W. Day, Grassy Creek, Ky., Wednesday after First Monday in each month. Constable, J. L. Havens. Fourth District, J. F. Lykins, Caney, Ky., Thursday after First Monday in each month. Constable, D, B. Lykins.

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Wednesday after Second Mouday in each month. Constable, Albert Bell. Eighth District, Jas. H. Lewis, Blaze Ky., Friday after Second Monday in month. Constable, S. A. Huges. COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Educational Division No. 4, U. G. Easter Superintendent's Office days: Mondays

and Saturdays. Visiting days for schools, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays."

CIRCUIT COURT. Circuit Judge, D. W. Gardner, Salyers-

West Liberty.

Morgan Circuit Court begins Firs Monday in March, Third Monday in June accuracy, therefore I am asking and Fourth Monday in September. 18 ju-

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U. S. DISTRICT COURT Eastern District of Kentucky Judge, A. M. J. Cochran, Maysville,

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J. C. W. Beckham Congressman oth Dist., W. J. Fields



Local and Personal.

Hon. McClure, of Bangor, is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Floyd Arnett and sen, Courtney, have the "flu."

Dave Peyton, of Blaze, was in town the first of the week.

Jas Rowland, of Maytown, was in town Tuesday on business.

J. L. Fugett, of Liberty Road, was here on business Friday.

R. L. Caskey, of Lenox, was

in town on business this week. O. B. Ferguson, of Elamton, was here Tuesday on business.

Miss Lula Rowland, of DeHart, was shopping in town. Tuesday.

Perry Henry, of Licking River, was here Tuesday on business.

R. H. Amyx, of DeHart, was in the city on business Monday.

C. M. Carter, of Liberty Road, was here last week on business. John Carter, of Grassy Creek,

was in town on business Monday. Miss Josie Caskey, of Lenox, was shopping in town Wednes-

Arthur Keeton, of Lexington, was visiting in town several days

J. F. Bradley, of Mima, was in town on business the first of the week.

B. F. Blankenship, of Sellars, was a business caller at the Courier office Tuesday.

Kiser Wells has been discharged from the army and is now at his home at Malone.

J. W. Hammond, of Forest, paid us a pleasant call while in town Friday of last week.

Mrs. Asa Nickell and Mrs. R. D. Childres, of Ezel, visited relatives here last week and this.

Deputy County Court Clerk B. M. Wright, of Ophir, was in town on business the first of the week.

Little Misses Marguerite and Ethel May Archibald and Lenora Reed paid the Courier crew a pleasant visit Monday.

Miss Ethel Allen, of White Oak, who has been stenographer for the Food Administrator, returned home last week.

Miss Myrtle Griffitts, who has been with Mrs. Jas. P. Oney for several weeks, returned to her home at White Oak Friday.

Rollie P. Gevedon, who was recently discharged from the U! S. Navy, passed through town this week enroute to his home at Grassy Creek.

Our good friend Dorsie T. Wilson, of Hazel Green, representing the Mahan Grocery Company, of Winchester, was here last Week calling on our merchants.

J. P. M. Davidson returned last week from an extended visit with relatives in Floyd county to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Martha D. Wom-

Somewhere in France. Nov, 8, 1618.

Mr. H. G. Cottle,

West Liberty, Ky. Dear Cousin Gardner:

hiking and fighting in France. the A. E. F. boys. been going ever since.

out'a scratch. I am an operator that I am one of them. getting your paper regularly and the least idea. Sometimes I each.



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In spite of all difficulties in getting goods I have the most complete line of holiday goods in town. Shop early and take advantage of the assortment. Something for everybody-mother, father, children, sweetheart, soldier, sailor, everybody. Dolls too many to describe.



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Full line of toilet sets, manicure sets, tourist's cases, soldiers' kits, military sets, tobacco seis. Vanity bags, sewing trays, toilet water and perfumes, handbags and jewelry. Stationery of all colors and from 10c to \$1.50 per box. Complete line of fruits and nuts and everything that goes into a fruit cake.

Space forbids me telling you all---Come and see!

D. R. KEETON.

must say it is fine, so keep Your cousin, coming. BYRON HAMMOND.

Somewhere in France. November 24, 1918. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Henry, Index. Kentucky.

Dear Father and Mother, a special boat to sail for America France. I have seen the greatwith Dad's Christmas letters er part of this country and have to it last week. W. G. Lewis, of Pomp, and only, and I will try to be one of had a great experience. The John H. Lewis, of Licking River, the boys who gets a note on it. French people treat us just as Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, and were in town on business Mon- I am in the best of health and nice as they can. I have met an infant child of Tom Day, of day, and while here paid this of- hope you are the same. Would some fine people over here, just Jeptha, died of the "flu" last fice a pleasant call. The former like to be at home to spend Xmas as nice as you find in U. S. A. or week. became one of the Courier fam- but Uncle Sam needs me over anywhere. here and I must stay. We are I will have to cl s: this letter having fine weather in sunry as I haven't any more time. France and that is the way we ever, Yanks like it. All the boys have long smiles on their faces since the kaiser was put out of business. Believe me, it takes Un-I am sending you the clippings cle Sam's boys to go over the top. Year's greetings to our relatives from the Stars and Stripes, a The Germans say: "We gassed write-up of the old Sixth Infan- the Americans till they were try that hiked 320 miles into black in the face, and still they read. We trust to see many of Mexico and has doubled it over gave us an awful race." You you before we cross over the in the , 'flu" situation here, no

We landed April 22nd and have Say. Dad, I want to Inform you Well, the victory is won and 142 F. A., has the name and hon- and happiness forever reigns. the next thing is to get back to or of being one of the best artilold U. S. A. I consider myself lery divisions in France. It is best wishes, we are, lucky to have gone through with- certainly a great honor to know MR, and MRS, J. T. GEVEDON,

on T. P. S. in French meaning I wish I could tell you when I ground telegraphy. I have been will be at home, but I haven't Blank deeds for sale here at 5c

it think I want to see the Statue of Liberty and a million other things over there, but I guess I don't. I am like the Irishman; it hurts the week, the guest of his brothlike hell to stay over here, but I am too big to cry. I have been in France three months and I want to say that it has been the happiest days of my life. I will As Uncle Sam is going to have never regret the trip to dear old

Wishing you a happy Xmas, as HENDRIX L. HENRY.

We take this methed of sending our Christmas and New and friend sin Morgan county and whereever this paper may be has tuberculosis. here. We have made a record see, they can't do anything with River, if not we trust to meet you in that country where no the past two weeks. peace conferences will have to be that the regiment I am in, the called, but where perptual peace With kindest regard, love and

Pikeville, Ky.

DINGUS.

W. W. Ferguson, of Oil Spring was here on business the first of er, R. H. Ferguson.

Boone Fannin has moved on the head of Paint creek.

S. V. Conley sold his farm to U. S. Fraley and bought a house and lot at Crockett. He meved

Mrs. Mary Cox, daughter of

Messrs. Frank, Bob and Johnny Kennard, of Logville, have contracted a job of logging for the Lenox Saw Mill Co., on the J. J. Pelfrey branch. Bob and Johnny moved on Bruce Williams' farm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams are numbered with the sick, and it is thought that Mrs. Williams

There is quite an improvement new cases having developed in

vice president and general man- pils in regular attendance. manager of the Lenox Saw Mill 441-2 Co., the past six months, has been discharged, and S. B. Reese has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Reese formerly occupied a high position with this company and his promotion has gladdened the hearts of his many

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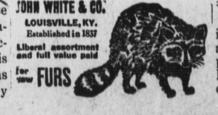
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Notice.

I will re-open my music class on the first Monday in January Giles Wright' who has been and will be glad to see all my pu-KATHLEEN PHIPPS.



LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Week and Nervous, Says Fiorida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.-Mrs. Dallas Pr of this place, says: "After the of my last child... I got very run-down and weakened, so that I could hardly do anything a I was so awfully nervou I could scarcely endure the noise. My condition worse all the time...

I knew I must have would soon be in the bed and serious condition for I felt so and was so nervous and weak hardly live. My husband ask said, 'It's a good medicine, for that trouble', so he get i tles... After about the second be felt greatly improved ... before it my limbs and hands and would go to sleep. After take however, this poor circulation peared. My strength came back me and I was soon on the road health. After the use of about 5 and attend to my six childr

You can feel safe in giving a thorough trial for your troub contains no harmful or habit-for drugs, but is composed of mild, table, medicinal ingredients wit bad after-effects. Thousands of whave voluntarily written, tellis the good Cardui has done them should help you, too. Try it.

Dr. L. D. Carter states that he is here a few weeks on business and that he will gladly serve the people when called upon to do so. He has all the necessary medicines for most cases.